

MARSHALL COUNTY, KS

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1,997	1,992	1,987
Farms			
Number	922	1,008	1,061
Acreage	514,195	572,989	553,436
Average size (acres)	558	568	522
Median size (acres)	380	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	400,701	320,611	237,714
Machinery/equip (dollars)	69,802	55,432	43,930
Cropland (acres)			
Total	357,574	387,399	409,347
Harvested	283,203	294,209	261,802
Irrigated	1,292	999	2,159
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	70,264	71,079	53,792
(dollars avg. per farm)	76,208	70,515	50,700
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	24,400	18,696	9,105
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	42,784	46,821	49,806
Beef cows	16,878	18,250	16,259
Milk cows	1,866	1,686	2,680
Hogs and pigs	26,172	50,417	44,970
Sheep and lambs	1,064	1,387	1,529
Layers 13 wks or/older	710	2,060	3,756
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	960	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	23,025	12,374	6,076
Corn, silage or green chop	995	468	514
Sorghum, grain or seed	75,646	108,329	91,784
Wheat	76,256	83,680	75,311
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	1,101	2,501	2,320
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	86,400	58,806	61,942
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	29,043	34,530	29,463
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture